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Did you get a letter from

## Martin Bros.

this week. We are giving away dimes to beat the band.

We have the best

## Niggerhead Coal Rockvale Canon Coal

### PRICES TALK

In Men's fine shoes we offer the

**Peters' "Diamond Special" at \$3.50**  
**"Cascade" Russian Kid at \$2.50**  
**Men's Work Shoes from \$1.25 to \$2.25**

These lines are as good quality, as neat and as fashionable as you will find anywhere.

A splendid line of Women's Misses and Childrens dress shoes for less money than they cost elsewhere.

Our cut price sale on the Ellet-Kendall shoes still continues. Fine line of prints just in and on sale at 5 cents and 6 cents per yard

**J. W. FRANK, FRONT ST.**

If you want a good  
smoke get the

## SIR JOHN ASTLEY

**A 10 CENT CIGAR  
FOR 5 CENTS**

At Gwinners' Bakery  
and Confectionery.

## CLUCK'S OPERA HOUSE

Wednesday  
JANUARY 3rd

Coming Around Again

Northland Singer

## BEN HENDRICKS

Bringing you what you want

## GOOD OLD OLE OLSON

They just won't let him play  
anything else

TURN OUT AND

Hear Him, See  
Him, Greet Him

All New Songs this  
Time

### KILLED BY CARS.

Stranger Killed on Crossing here last Friday Night.

An unknown man who had been in Dodge City but a few days was crushed under some freight cars on the Santa Fe crossing on First Avenue Friday night. It is understood that three cars had been "kicked" down one of the sidings. Just before the cars reached the crossing the man, in company with Jay Burson Jr., started to cross the tracks. It is claimed that he had been drinking. The two walked directly in front of the moving cars. Santa Fe yard men who were near by called to them and one of the yard men reached them and got hold of Burson's coat in time to pull him back, thus saving his life. The other man was run down by the car. It is said that three cars passed over him, the wheels grinding his head so that recognition was impossible.

No one here knew the man who was killed. He was a tall and had worked for C. L. Peterson for a few days. He gave his name as Smith at Peterson's tailor shop, but his letters came addressed to Fred Just. He told here that he had worked for the past year in the tailoring department of a big general store in Bisbee, Arizona. It is believed that his home is some place in Illinois, as he had told of working for a long time in that state before going west.

He was a man of good appearance and no doubt has friends some where who when they fail to hear from him will be trying to learn what became of him.

It will be a sad story for them if they ever learn it, and it will be almost as sad if his identity is never learned here and his friends are left for all time to the uncertainty of what became of him.

### NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT.

Commercial Club will meet at the Eagles Club Rooms.

The Commercial club did not meet this week on account of the holiday season but will meet on next Tuesday evening at the Eagles Club rooms.

Every one is anxious to learn what the different committees have accomplished and there should be a large attendance.

It is learned that the matter of Rock Island service, taken up at the last meeting has been taken note of by the company. Superintendent Jones has notified the club that the company desires to give Dodge City a satisfactory service, and that he will be glad to meet with the club and go over the matter.

The railroad committee has been investigating the matter of proposed new routes and will follow this so that the club may be ready to act at the proper time. The surveyors have been at work examining the proposed route, for the past week.

Don't forget to attend the meeting as it will be the first meeting of 1906 which is to be the greatest year for Dodge City in her history.

### ABOUT THE MILL.

Messrs Cooper and Kauger Expecting to Build Next Summer.

No definite word has been received yet from Messrs Cooper and Kauger who were here recently looking for a mill site. It is understood, however, that these gentlemen have been offered a good location on the Santa Fe, and that they have met with no discouragement of any kind. Mr. Kauger has bought a section of wheat land west of here, and Mr. Cooper has been getting prices upon a large tract.

There seems to be every probability that they will come to Dodge City and build the mill.

The mill they are planning is to be of 400 barrels per day capacity.

### Blacksmithing.

I will have my blacksmith and carriage shop completed and ready for business by Jan. 1st, where I will be prepared for all kinds of work in my line. Horseshoeing will be given special attention, no charges will be made on all interfering horses I can not cure. Also will repair wagons and carriages. I am prepared to furnish tops, cushions and dashes on application at surprising low prices. Please call and give me a trial.

J. S. ELLIOTT.

### In Mad Chase.

Millions rush in mad chase after health from one extreme of faddism to another, when, if they would only eat good food, and keep their bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills, their troubles would all pass away. Prompt relief and quick cure for liver and stomach trouble. 25c at the City Drug store; guaranteed.

**See 9 cent Sale ad on 5th Page.**

### Notice.

Frank Ridenour, representing the E. Ray & Company nursery, will call upon the people of Ford county after January 1, ready to take orders for trees. Save your orders for him.

### A DAILY PAPER.

Past Experience does not seem to influence the "Daily" Proposition.

Another little daily paper has been started in Dodge City. Less than two years ago two different outfits attempted a like undertaking. At that time the Globe Republican took off its hat and made a bow of welcome to the two little sheets, but felt bound at the time, as well, to tell the proprietors that the papers would not pay and that "someone" would lose money on them. As an outcome the paper in charge of Messrs Thompson & Co., suspended one cloudy day with several parties in the lurch and a few bundles of its paper stock left in the hands of the railroad company. Col. Watson who "found-d" and founded the other little daily was a "metropolitan product" who took the good people of Dodge City into his confidence and told them that it was a shame Dodge City did not have a daily paper. He said that it would be a paying proposition and that it would benefit the town. After a few months of borrowing money to pay expenses, the Metropolitan Product borrowed money to leave town on. He had "done" one man for \$100, another for \$50, and a larger number for smaller amounts. Merchants were charged by Watson for advertising on a basis of 500 circulation, and they paid this rate for times when only 25 papers were printed and not half of that number read.

Unless better support is given the present venture than was given the last two, which is not probable, the daily will have to suspend after a few months. Its proprietor, or someone else will be the loser and no good will have been accomplished. The Globe Republican has been asked many times to start a daily issue, and it will do so just as soon as it can be done as a business enterprise, and a paper published which will be credit to the town.

The only results of the last two ventures in this line were: they hurt the newspaper business in Dodge City, left two weekly papers instead of three, and also left several men around town with the peculiarly exquisite sensation of having been gold bricked.

The Globe-Republican would be glad to see the present venture successful, but to say the situation as it does it can only offer the friendly advice to its proprietor to not hold on too long after he convinces himself that it is a losing game.

### DIED ON A TRAIN.

Dodge City People Helped man who was in sad Plight.

W. C. Block, of Huntsville Mo (not Mr. Hunt, of Blockville) as was published in a paper here yesterday evening) landed in Dodge City yesterday morning in a very sad plight. He left Dodge City last night with a very grateful remembrance of the people of this town. Mr. Block had been out west with his family on account of the health of his wife, who was a consumptive. He had run short of money and had started for his home in Missouri having barely enough money to buy tickets for the family and scant provisions for the trip. Mrs. Block died in the train and was taken off at Dodge City.

The husband did not have money to buy a casket and prepare the body of his wife for shipment to their former home.

Mr. Gluck made a short trip in the business portion of town and explained the matter and in a little time \$50 had been contributed to the stranger.

After getting the remains of his wife ready for shipment Mr. Block had \$10 of this money left for expenses during the rest of the journey, and as he had tickets he was able to take his wife to her former home for burial.

### Bible Study.

Begin the New Year right. Come out and meet with the Bible Study club, at the Presbyterian church on next Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock. All who desire to know more about the bible will be welcomed.

James M. Kimbrel of Concord Township, son of John Kimbrel was married Christmas day at the home of his father to Miss Katie Tyler, daughter of the rector of deeds of Haskell county. J. A. Cornelius minister of the Church of Christ in Dodge City officiated. The happy young couple received many beautiful and useful presents, and the congratulations of a host of friends. They will make their home on their farm in Gray county.

### Torture of a Preacher.

The story of the torture of Rev. O. D. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church, of Harpersville, N. Y., will interest you. He says: "I suffered agonies, because of a persistent cough, resulting from the grip, I had to sleep sitting up in bed. I tried many remedies, without relief, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds, which entirely cured my cough, and saved me from consumption." A grand cure for diseased conditions of Throat and Lungs. At City Drug store druggist, price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

### CATTLEMAN'S DANCE.

Grand Roundup of Cattlemen and Cowboys Tonight at La Junta.

The Denver News of last Sunday gives an extended write up of the grand roundup and dance of the cowboys of Colorado, which takes place this evening in La Junta. Mr. Beeson of Dodge City is one of the particular guests of honor of the evening. The Denver News says of the event:

"The cowboys of the 'Circle Diamond' and the 'J. J.' ranches, conceived the idea that there should be a general roundup of the cowmen in the southeastern corner of Colorado. They have made arrangements to have an old-time cowboy dance, which will be given in this city December 28. The dance will commence at early candle light and continue until the dancers are exhausted. No one will be in attendance but cowboys, cattle men and their wives and sweethearts. The square dance, or the 'cowdrill,' will be a special feature, and only old-time music will be played. Wonderly's orchestra will furnish the music. Mr. Wonderly has been conducting an orchestra in La Junta since the city was founded, and has all the old music familiar to the cowboys.

Among the old timers who have accepted the invitation is Hon. C. M. Beeson of Dodge City, Kan. His full name is Chaikley McCarty Beeson—a man without frills. He will forgive a man calling him Mr. Beeson the first time they meet; after that it is "Chaik" or they remain strangers.

"Chaik" is probably one of the best known men among the early cowboys of Colorado. He went to Denver in April, 1868. In that year he was with a party of ranchers from the divide who stamped a herd of beef which was driven north by Charles Goodnight of Pueblo, with McProry as "marad-mo" or boss. In those days the cattlemen along Plum, Cherry, Crown and other creeks feared the Texas fever, and not being able to make satisfactory arrangements with the owner of this herd to drive around, they came down on the Fountain, close to Colorado Springs, and late one night charged on the herd and stamped the cattle. Some years afterward, when Goodnight was at Dodge City, Beeson spoke to Goodnight about this affair. Goodnight replied: "Do you know, Chaik, you fellows done such a good job that the d—d herd is running yet?"

When Grand Duke Alexis of Russia was on his hunting trip in the early 70's, Chaik was one of the two guides appointed by the government officials to conduct the grand duke and his party during their stay in this part of the country. He received several personal letters and valuable presents from the grand duke on his return to Russia. He was one of the best known early day musicians in the West. Before the Santa Fe was in this part of the country his orchestra was in great demand. He drove from Pueblo to Las Animas to play for the opening of the American house when it was dedicated by William Connors. One time he was to play there for a dance, but failed to show up. Someone rustled an organ. When Connors heard of it he went to the dance and shot out the lights, saying that his guests could not dance to church music.

The first dance ever given in La Junta was held in the 12x18 depot and on the freight platform. The young bloods of Las Animas chartered a train and came up to this dance, which was quite an event in the early history of La Junta. Chaik and Charley Wonderly (now of La Junta) furnished the music.

He organized and chartered the original Cowboy band of Dodge City, and was its leader when all the members were cowboys. They toured the eastern cities, making a great hit. He afterward sold his charter to Pueblo parties, who continued the organization with headquarters at Pueblo.

He is one of the wealthiest men in southwestern Kansas. His love for music is so great that he maintains an orchestra which is known all over western Kansas and northwestern Texas as "Beeson's orchestra." It has a reputation as being second to none. He has two sons, who are fine performers. The elder plays the cornet and was a member of the First Regiment band of Missouri during the Spanish-American war. His younger son, who is but 15, plays the best slide trombone in western Kansas.

Hon. Alva Adams and Mr. Beeson were warm personal friends in the early days of Colorado. Mr. Adams was Mr. Beeson's guest when Mr. Adams spoke to that assembly on "Governor's day" last August.

Mr. Beeson located in Dodge City when that city was in its infancy and has resided in Ford county ever since. His home is about a mile and a half south of Dodge City on a fine alfalfa farm. He has a big cattle ranch about twenty-five miles southwest of his residence. He was twice elected and served as sheriff of Ford county and twice elected and served as representative of Ford county to the Kansas legislature, and is a member of that body at present. He is a thirty-third degree Mason.

Mr. Beeson sees the passing of the old-time cowboy, and says nothing but sickness or death can keep him and his entire family from attending this function which will be pulled off here. He wants to hear the genuine cowboy "whoop" once more and dance the old "cowdrill" as only the cowboy can do.

## PALACE DRUG STORE

### DRUG QUALITY

The dawn of the new year finds us with all our old customers and many new ones. Each year demonstrates by the increase in our trade that our drugs are quality drugs. If it was not for our trade would not increase so.

We are going to give you such pure drugs and increasingly good service the coming year, that will merit all your trade.

## PINE & BOND DRUG COMPANY

### HEAVY CHRISTMAS TRADE.

Nearly Every Store had a Record Breaking Patronage.

The merchants of Dodge City are greatly pleased with their trade during the week before Christmas. One dry goods store states that the trade on Saturday before Christmas was \$200 above any day's trade in the history of the store for the past fifteen years.

The dry goods stores, jewelry stores, furniture stores and drug stores and all places that had goods for which there is a special demand at Christmas time had an immense trade during the week before Christmas.

As heavy as the December trade has been however it was only a little ahead of the trade during October at some of the stores. October was a big month on account of the immense trade from over the county from the farmers who were marketing wheat during that month.

### Opera House Attraction.

"Ole Olson" the bright, lively and laugh compelling Swedish dialect comedy drama, will be presented at the Cluck Opera house, Wednesday evening January 3, by an excellent organization of players headed by the Northland singer, Mr. Ben Hendricks. This popular Swedish comedy drama is familiar to most theater-goers and it retains a firm grasp on their favor. It has found a genuine homey comedy, mingled with just that simple touch of nature that makes the whole world kin. "Ole" the uncouth, Swedish immigrant, in his rough clothes, has his heart in the right place. He is good natured, even under ridicule, and has the qualities that turn ridicule into admiration. The ever popular comedian and singer, Ben Hendricks, will make a feature of his singing this season, he has several new songs with which to delight his hearers.

### ABOUT TICE APPOINTMENT.

Report of Change in Division Superintendent Seems to be a Fake.

A few days ago a special correspondent at Shawnee sent out a report that Mr. Tice at Arkansas City had been promoted to succeed Division Superintendent Ayers at Dodge City. The correspondent had no authority for this report and from present appearances there is no truth in it.

There is no indication of any change at Dodge City, and Mr. Tice has not been appointed to this place.

**See 9 cent Sale ad on 5th Page.**

"The Philomaths" met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Davies. After a short program the afternoon was spent socially, the hostess serving very dainty refreshments. Mrs. Hubbard's talk, subject "Did Buckingham Deserve his Fate" was exceedingly interesting. After a vote of thanks to the hostess for her pleasant surprise, the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Simpson January 12th when the study of "King Henry VIII" will be concluded.

Everyone who is interested should assist in getting a list of all parties who want new wheat land broken out, and the number of acres of breaking that each one wants done. If this can be made up it will not be hard to bring in men and teams enough to do the work.

**WANTED**—By Chicago manufacturing house, person of trustworthiness and somewhat familiar with local territory as assistant in branch office. Salary \$18 paid weekly. Permanent position. No investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Address, Manager Branches, Comstock, Chicago.